

# The China Mail.

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HONGKONG, MONDAY, JULY 12, 1880.

日六廿月六年辰庚

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 13, Old Broad Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORCH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES, HENRY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—LEON DE ROBERT, 19, Rue Montevideo, Paris.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 180, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BRAD & BLACK, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS.—SAYLE & Co., Singapore. C. HEINSEMAN & Co., Malacca.

CHINA.—MACAO, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co. SINGAPORE, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co. WILSON, NICHOLS & Co. Pootung, Hongkong & Co. Shanghai, LANE, CLARKE & Co. KELL & WALKER, Yokohama, LANE, CLARKE & Co.

## Banks.

### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " "

" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

### CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL.....\$200,000.

RESERVE FUND.....\$100,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THE CITY BANK, THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On Current Accounts, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 12 " 5 " "

WILLIAM FORREST, Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

### NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Registered in London under the Companies Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1863.

Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1853.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....\$200,000.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$100,000.

RESERVE FUND.....\$100,000.

HEAD OFFICE.—39A, THE MARK LANE, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS.—NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND, NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Interest allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance; and on FIXED DEPOSITS according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. HORNE BOYD, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, May 24, 1880.

### COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1845.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION of 30th April, 1863.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....\$20,000,000.

RESERVE FUND.....\$20,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE.—14, Rue de la Banque, PARIS.

AGENTS AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOURNAY, SAN FRANCISCO, MANHATTAN, BOMBAY, HONGKONG, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA.

LONDON BANKERS.—THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be arranged on application; grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking and Exchange Business.

E. G. VUILLEUMONT, Manager, Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND.....\$1,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—The Hon. W. KNAWICK.

Deputy Chairman—A. MILES, Esq.

ADOLPH ANDER, Esq. H. DE G. FORBES, Esq.

E. R. BELLING, Esq. H. HOFFMAN, Esq.

U. L. DALLMEYER, Esq. F. D. SASSOON, Esq.

W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai, EWEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 12 " 5 " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, April 28, 1880.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. A. M. GUBBAY in our Firms in India, China and England, CHARGED on the 31st December, 1879.

DAVID SASSOON & Co.

Bombay, June 13, 1880. j14

### NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. JAMES MUSCHAM VIOKERS in our Firms here and in China, CHARGED on 31st March, 1880.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 7, 1880. j14

### NOTICE.

MR. JAMES ELLEN is hereby authorized to sign our Firm by Procurement on and after this Date.

ELLEN & Co.

Amoy, 1st July, 1880. a18

## VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

WE, the Undersigned, having purchased the Lease and Plant of the above Foundry and Engineering Works, intend carrying on BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS, IRON AND BRASS FOUNDERS, &c., from this Date under the Style and Title of "VICTORIA FOUNDRY."

GEO. FENWICK, ROBT. MORRISON.

Victoria Foundry, Wanchai, Hongkong, June 14, 1880. a14

### NOTICE.

MR. C. STIEBEL has to-day been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.

REIS & Co.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880. a11

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879. a10

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

EX. REPORT, ARRIVALS, AND DEPARTURES.

BARB. PALE-ALB, in Quarts and Pints.

Bottled by PATRICK & HURST, in Splendid Condition.

FINE OLD PORT, in 1 & 2 Gallons.

BOOZA GINGERWINE.

AMERICAN CIGARETTES.

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## For Sale.

### KELLY & WALSH.

HAVE just Received the following NEW & IMPORTANT BOOKS.

Dr. Legge's New Work "The Religions of China.".....\$1.75

Spence Hardy's "Manual of Buddhism.".....2.00

Schubert's "Songs of the Springtides.".....2.00

Barthard's "Drawing from Nature.".....2.00

Leitch's "Water Colour Drawing.".....2.00

"Neutral Tint.".....2.00

"Sepia Painting.".....2.00

Sheldon's "Political and Legal Remedies for War.".....2.00

"Tudor's" "Merchant and Broker's Companion.".....2.00

Holmes' "Voice Production and Voice Frustration.".....1.00

New Volume Foreign Classics "St. Simon.".....90

A Large Variety of G. B. D. Briar Wood Pipes, quite New Styles.

A Fine Assortment of Moerschmann Pipes.

Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

RURAL BUILDING LOT No. 6.

(Late the Property of the Hon. C. B. LAURENCE.)

Situate at the Junction of the MOYNT GOUCH and ABERDEEN NEW ROADS.

THIS LOT is the best and most convenient situated Site on the southern slope of the MOYNT GOON, and commands beautiful and extensive views in every direction. A Strong and Substantial BUNGALOW, with VERANDAH, is now in course of erection on the Lot, the Walls of which will be of Concrete, and the Wood work throughout of Teak and Manila Hardwood. There is also a splendid site on the Ground for Large Tennis Lawn and Flower Garden.

ANNUAL CROWN RENT, \$12.00.

For further Particulars, &c., Apply SHARP & DANBY.

Hongkong, July 10, 1880.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$15 per doz. Case.

Pints.....\$17 per doz. Case.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 3, 1880.

## To Let.

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THE FIRST and SECOND FLOORS of HOUSE, No. 3, PRATA EAST, on MARINE LOT, No. 65, (known as the "BLUE HOUSE"). Possession 1st of August.

Also.

THE HOUSE opposite the Wanchoi Pier at present occupied by Mr. A. G. AIRKEN, containing Eight Large Rooms with Large VERANDAH, KITCHEN, SERVICE QUARTERS, &c., with Gas and Water laid on. Possession 1st of August.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 1, 1880. a11

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 56A and 62A, PRATA EAST, with Private WAREHOUSE.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111A and 113, WANCHAI ROAD.

Apply to SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1880.

## To Be Let on Sold.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.

BUILDING, BATHING, LAWN TENNIS, and GARDEN SITES, at K'WIL ON.

Apply to "HONGKONG PRESSWARY."

Hongkong, May 18, 1880.

## To Let.

TO LET.

G. UND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 and 4.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, April 18, 1880.

## To Let.

TO LET.

FOREIGN DWELLING HOUSES in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing six Rooms and Out-Houses.

Nos. 3 and 4, SURVIVORS TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, BONS & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1880.

## To Let.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE, Nos. 14 and 15, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TENDERMASTER.

Two ROOMS in CADA CHAMBERS.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

## To Let.

TO LET.

MANUEL LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

## For Sale.

### A New Stock of DANTE MUSIC and SONGS.

The Waverley, The Pickwick, The Nile, The Hindoo and Gillois, Mitchell's and Waterloo's PENS.

Gilbert's STORIES, from Chinese Studios, 2 Vols.,.....\$5.00

Chinese Historical PICTURES,.....1.00

New Chinese ATLAS,.....1.00

Bagoth's LOMBARD STREET an account of the Money Market,.....2.50

Bryant and Packard's INTEREST TABLES, from one to seven per cent. in Dollars,.....6.50

Complete Sets of RUSKIN'S WORKS in Cases, 20 Vols.,.....50.00

Prof. Morley's English LITERATURE,.....6.50

Lubbock's Civilization and Primitive MAN,.....2.25

Huxley's LAY SERMONS,.....2.25

Do. Man's Place in Nature,.....1.75

Young's CERAMIC ART, finely Illustrated,.....6.50

## Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Eighth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 30A, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th July instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 7, 1880. j128

## Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 28th instant, inclusive.

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## Intimations.



## For Sale.

## FOR SALE.

Ex "MENSLAUS."

AN Invoice of MILNER'S PATENT FIRE PROOF SAFES and

## DEED CHESTS.

To be Sold at Manufacturers' Prices.

T. & D. HENRY'S GOVERNMENT NAVY CANVAS, all Numbers.

## FLAX SEAMING TWINE.

Ex "HOPE."

WOODBERRY'S COTTON DUCK, No. 1 to 10.

RAVENS DUCK, and

## COTTON TWINE.

Ex "RAPHAEL."

A Large Assortment of

## CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.

## DINNER SERVICES.

## DESSERT SERVICES.

## TOILET SERVICES.

## BREAKFAST SERVICES.

Ex "ANCHISES,"

## LATE ARRIVALS.

RUTHERFORD'S Extra All Long FLAX

## CANVAS.

RUTHERFORD'S Royal Navy CANVAS.

RUTHERFORD'S Best Boiled Do.

Engine COLZA OIL.

English COTTON WASTE.

TUCK'S Patent PACKING.

FLAX PACKING.

HORN'S Best Russian CORDAGE.

Best English Charcoal WIRE ROPE.

Galvanized IRON CHAIN, 3/16th, 1/4th

and 3/8th.

HUBBARD'S PAINTS and OILS.

TURPENTINE. Copal VARNISH.

French POLISH. SOFT SOAP.

OAKLEY'S Wellington KNIFE POWDER.

Plate POWDER. Plate BRUSHES.

Billiard CHALK. Cue TIPS.

Metallic TAPE LINES.

CROSBY'S Patent PADLOCKS.

THE LOCKS.

Capboard LOCKS.

Box LOCKS.

FIRE GRATES.

Suspension and Bracket Patent Extinguishing

KEROSENE LAMPS.

RODGERS &amp; SONS' CUTLERY.

Electro-plated WARE.

BUNTING and Bunting THREAD.

BUSEY'S PATENT PNEUMATIC GUN.

Royal Bristol GINGER ALE, in Pint

Bottles.

JERVIS'S India PALE ALE, in Pint

Bottles.

CLARET—Chateau THIBOUZ.

JAMES GRAVES, Plaster and Quarts.

Chateau LAROSE.

Breakfast CLARET.

HAUT SAUTERNE.

SACON'S White Seal SHERRY.

Do. Amontillado SHERRY.

Do. Very Fine OLD PORT.

Draught ALE and PORTER, sold by the

Gallon.

## STATIONERY.

## BOOKS.

TOBACCOES, and

CIGARS.

JOHN

MOIR &amp; SONS,

CROSS &amp; BLACKWELL'S,

and

AMERICAN

## OILMAN STORES.

## SHIPHANDLERY

of

Every Description.

## SAIL-MAKING and RIGGING,

promptly executed.

## MACLEWEN, FRICKEL &amp; CO.

Hongkong, July 7, 1880.

## Insurances.

## YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000

PREMIUM RESERVE.....Tls. 230,000

SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 263,268

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATIONS.....Tls. 913,268

April, 1880.....Tls. 913,268

Directors:

F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.

W. M. BOYD, Esq., W. METTERICK, Esq.,

J. H. PINCKVOS, Esq., F. D. HITCH, Esq.,

Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

Messrs RUSSELL &amp; Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH:

Messrs BARRING BROTHERS &amp; Co.,

Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,

8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all

parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12 1/2 % for Interest

on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of

the Underwriting Business are annually

distributed among all Contributors of

Business in proportion to the Premium

paid by them.

RUSSELL &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, May 11, 1880.

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## NORTH BRITISH &amp; MERCANTILE

## INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1800.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong

for the above Company, are prepared to

grant Policies against FIRE, to the

extent of £100,000 on any Building, or

on Merchandise in the Warehouse, at the

usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20

per cent.

GILMAN &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

## QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE

## COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant

Policies against Fire to the extent of

£45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored

therein, at current local rates, subject to a

Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

## ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company, are prepared to grant In-

surances at current rates.

MELIORS &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

## MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

## COMPANY OF

## MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling

of which is paid up £ 100,000 "

Reserve Fund of £ 120,000 "

Annual Income £ 250,000 "

THE Undersigned have been appointed

Agents for the above Company at

Hongkong, Canton, Peking, Shanghai,

and Hankow, and are prepared to grant

Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE &amp; Co.

Agents.

Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

## LANCASTER FIRE INSURANCE

## COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant

Policies against the Risk of FIRE on

Buildings or on Goods stored thereon,

on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of

Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors

for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

posals or any other information, apply to

ARNOLD, KARBURG &amp; Co.,

Agents, Hongkong &amp; Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENTS at all the Treaty Ports of

China and Japan, and at Singapore,

Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance

granted at the rates of Premium current at

the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of

His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Corporation are

prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either

here, or in London, or at the principal Ports

of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at

current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding

£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE &amp; Co.

Agents.

Hongkong, July 12, 1872.

## Mails.

## NOTICE.

## COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

## MARITIMES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

## STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

POINT DE GALLE,

ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

SAID, NAPLES, AND

MARSEILLES.

Also,

PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA

AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON MONDAY, the 19th day of July,

1880, at Noon, the Company's

S. S. "A. V. A." Commandant ROLLAND,

with MAILED PASSENGERS, SPECIMEN

and CARGO will leave this Port for the

above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and se-

lected in transit through Marseilles for

the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until

Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until

4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

the 19th of July, 1880. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left

at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-

quired.

For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

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## Occidental &amp; Oriental Steam-

## Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND

PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED

STATES AND EUROPE,

IN CONNECTION WITH THE

CENTRAL

and

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING

RAILROAD COMPANIES

AND

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "OCEANIC" will be despatched

for San Francisco via Yokohama,

on SATURDAY, the 24th July, 1880, at

3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for

Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central

and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with

Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until

4 p.m. of the 23rd July. PARCEL

PACKAGES will be received at the Office

until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages

should be marked to address in full; value

of same is required.

A Reduction is made on RETURN PAS-

senger Tickets.

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

land, Mexican, Central and South American

Cargo, should be sent to the Company's

Office addressed to the Collector of Custom,

San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 57, Queen's Road Central.

G. B. EMORY, Agent.

Hongkong, July 8, 1880.

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## NOTICE.

S. S. "OCEANIC"—1000 boxes CAN-

(in ctns.) 1500/2000 DLYS.

Shipped by DE ROUX &amp; CO. ORDERKORIN.

CONSIGNEES of the above named Cargo

ex Steamship "Oceanic" are hereby

informed that their Goods have been landed

and stored, and are now lying at their risk

and expense unless ordered against fire, in the

Godowns of the Undersigned.

ARNOLD, KARBURG &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

## To-day's Advertisements.

## FOR SWATOW, AMOY &amp; FOCHOH.

The Steamship

Capt. S. AUSTON, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Inst.,

at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAFRAIK &amp; Co.

Hongkong, July 12, 1880.

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## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR AMOY AND SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo &amp; Passengers at through rates

for CHEFOO, NEWCHANG, TIEN-



BAROMETER--	9 A.M....	29.962
Do.	1 P.M....	29.938
Do.	4 P.M....	29.876
Thermometer--	9 A.M....	86
Do.	1 P.M....	80
Do.	4 P.M....	86
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.	81
Do.	Do. 1 P.M.	79
Do.	Do. 4 P.M.	80
Do.	Maximum .....	87
Do.	Minimum over night	81



**Local Parcel Post.**

between any of the Post Offices in China or Japan, as well as to Bacao, Pak-hoi, Singapore, Penang, and Malacca. They must not exceed the following dimensions, 2 feet long, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, nor w. h. more than 5 lbs. The postage will be 20 cents per lb., which will include Registration. The parcels may be wholly closed if they bear this special endorsement, **PARCEL, CONTAINING NO LETTER**, but any parcel may be opened by direction of the Postmaster General.

### Exclusion of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore B., and those in the body of the Harbour C. Shipping midway between each shore are marked D., in conjunction with the Buoys denoting the sections.

Section.	Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.	5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Poddar's Wharf.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.	6. From Poddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.	7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.	8. From Pier to East Point.

<i>Vessel's Name.</i>	<i>Rank.</i>	<i>Captain.</i>	<i>Flag and Rig.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Date of Arrival.</i>	<i>Consular or Agent.</i>	<i>Destination.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
<b>Steamers.</b>								
Ancona	5	Land	Brit.	str.	1973	July 10	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Europe, &c.
Antares	5	Land	Brit.	str.	184	July 10	Butterfield & Swire	London, &c.
Ariston Agor.	5	Land	Brit.	str.	1392	July 9	David Blackman, Sons & Co.	Singapore, Calcutta, &c.
Chinkiang	5	Orr.	Brit.	str.	789	July 11	Swenson & Co.	Singapore & Shanghai
Cleveland	5	Harvey	Brit.	str.	769	July 4	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Singapore
Consolation	5	Young	Brit.	str.	768	July 3	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok
Corymba	5	Stuart	Brit.	str.	1408	July 13	Butterfield & Swire	Singapore and Shanghai
Damale	5	Clanchy	Brit.	str.	861	April 25	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok
Diamante	5	Gillon	Brit.	str.	514	July 19	Russell & Co.	Amoy
Douglas	5	S. Ashton	Brit.	str.	861	July 12	Delegation Laparak & Co.	Coast Ports
Elcano	5	Urrutia	Spain.	str.	517	July 11	Romero & Co.	Manila
Emeralda	5	Fallick	Brit.	str.	395	July 11	Russell & Co.	Manila
Fama	5	Spangl	Brit.	str.	117	July 11	B. E. & W. Co., Hong Kong.	Shanghai
Fuzhou	5	Crowd	Brit.	str.	120	July 11	M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai
Gordon Castle	5	Waring	Brit.	str.	1319	July 12	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Shanghai
Malacca	5	Seaton	Brit.	str.	1044	July 9	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama & Yokohama
Ningpo	5	Can	Brit.	str.	761	July 4	Swenson & Co.	Shanghai
Quinta	5	Thomsen	Ger.	str.	876	June 30	Edward Schellhaus & Co.	Shanghai
Rajasthanian	5	Lophins	Brit.	str.	938	July 12	Yuen Fat Hong	Singapore
Sea Gull	5	Haydon	Brit.	str.	48	May 24	China Traders' Insurance Co.	Bangkok
Seraph	5	North	Brit.	str.	1270	July 7	Molinos & Co.	Singapore and Penang
Strathleven	5	Pearson	Brit.	str.	1588	July 5	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Singapore
Fuzhou	5	Katon	Brit.	str.	1380	July 1	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Singapore, Calcutta, &c.
Thales	5	Brit.	str.	820	Dec. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Singapore	
Venice	5	Rhodes	Brit.	str.	1271	July 11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Singapore
Wash	5	Hunter	Brit.	str.	265	June 3	Laudstein & Co.	Singapore
Yutung	5	McDonnell	Brit.	str.	286	July 9	Kwok Ahong & Sons	Singapore

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Vessel's Name.	Anchorage.	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Albatross	C. H.	British	sloop	.....	4	.....	June 19	Errington
Comus	C. H.	British	opercate	3283	.....	.....	May 15	J. W. East
Foxhound	C. H.	British	gunboat	422	.....	.....	June 19	Wm. S. G. Nowell
Kestrel	C. H.	British	gun vessel	592	4	100	.....	W. M. Lang
Lai Yak	C. H.	Annam	gunboat	.....	.....	.....	June 21	Yuan Wai Tong
Monroe	C. H.	British	military hospital	2591	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midge	C. H.	British	gunboat	465	4	180	.....	.....
Swinger	C. H.	British	gun vessel	608	2	90	June 23	O. F. Tinker
Victor Emanuel	C. H.	British	Commodore's flag-ship	3067	20	.....	.....	Osmond Smith
Wivona	C. H.	British	turret ship	.....	.....	350	June 4	John G. Jones

HONGKONG, MACAO, AND CANTON RIVER STEAMERS.				CHINESE GUNBOATS IN CANTON WATERS, &c.				
Name.	Tons.	Engine.	Owner.	Name.	Tons.	Arms.	H. P.	Commander.
Tehang	700	Ogden	Butterfield and Swire	Andah	221	5	70	J. Goodell
Kiu Shan	467		H. C. & M. S. boat Co.	Chen-jui	80	5	20	A. Walker
Kiu Kiang	611	Boyland	H. C. & M. S. boat Co.	Chen-to	221	7	70	Stewart
Pearse	1890	Canby	H. C. & M. S. boat Co.	Ching-on	120	1	40	Chinese Admiral
Sir J. Jacobbey	184		E. Ashmoe & Sons	Ching-see	180	6	60	
Spark	140	Degeu	H. C. & M. S. boat Co.	Ching-sung	120	3	40	Chun Tsu Hu
Tung Ting	314	Degen	O. M. S. N. Co.	Ching-tai	80	2	20	Chun Tsu Hu
White Cloud	290	Bennett & Brown	H. C. & M. S. boat Co.	Ching-tai	120	4	120	C. E. Palmer
Total	150		E. Ashmoe & Sons	Ching-tai	120	4	60	14 Ring Type
				Ching-tai	120	4	60	J. H. Wade
				Ching-tai	120	4	60	J. R. Murray
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